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Washington, D.C. 20505

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NOTE FOR: DDO

The attached letter from Dr. Wheelon is self-explanatory in its praise of [redacted] I thought you, Chief/EA and their respective files should be so enlightened.

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John N. McMahon

Attachment

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SENIOR VICE PRESIDENT AND
GROUP PRESIDENT

4 FEBRUARY 1984

DEAR JOHN,

STAT [redacted]

[redacted] TO DO A LITTLE HOMEWORK FOR MY PFIAB ASSIGNMENT. THE AGENCY ARRANGED THE VISITS AND I WANTED TO WRITE YOU TO SAY HOW PROUD I AM OF

STAT [redacted] THE ORGANIZATION. IF [redacted] AND

STAT [redacted] ARE REPRESENTATIVE OF YOUR FIELD PEOPLE, THE REPUBLIC IS IN GOOD HANDS.

I AM QUITE SINCERE. IN BOTH CASES WE MET FOR ABOUT TWO HOURS AT THE

STAT [redacted] THEY WERE TOTALLY FORTHCOMING, ALTHOUGH I ENCOURAGED THEM TO DEFLECT QUESTIONS THAT WERE NOT IN THEIR TERMS OF REFERENCE. WE SPENT ABOUT HALF OUR TIME DISCUSSING IN-COUNTRY ACTIVITIES

STAT [redacted] AND THE OTHER RELATED TO [redacted] HALF ON COLLECTION/ANALYSIS PROBLEMS IS

STAT [redacted] IN BOTH CASES, IT WAS TWO VERY CONCENTRATED HOURS. I WAS STRUCK BY HOW MUCH MORE BUSINESS-LIKE THESE MEN

OVER

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MORE THAN [redacted] I CAME IN CONTACT WITH I WAS THERE. PERHAPS I HAVE GOTTEN MORE BUSINESS LIKE MYSELF.

I HESITATE TO WRITE DIRECTLY TO THEM EXPRESSING MY APPRECIATION BECAUSE I AM NOT SURE OF THE PUBLIC MAILS. WOULD YOU HAVE YOUR SECRETARY FORWARD MY THANKS — OR COPIES OF THIS LETTER IF SHE WISHES TO THEM BY WAY OF THANKS.

WITH MANY GOOD WISH, I AM

SINCERELY

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